

The total number of soldiers (ORs) recruited during the last three financial years (i.e. 1993-94, 1994-95, 1995-96) is 2,06,515. The number of personnel who had retired/discharged/killed during this period was 1,39,821. The ratio of recruitment to retirement is more than 1 because recruits were also needed to fill up existing deficiencies, requirements of new raisings, and releases to Rashtriya Rifles.

Harassment of Women in Delhi University

1401. SHRI SANAT KUMAR MANDAL : Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether his attention has been invited to news-item captioned "Women harassed, but do the dons care ?" appearing in the 'Hindustan Times', dated December 19, 1996;

(b) if so, the facts of the matter reported therein; and

(c) the action taken to prevent such harassment of women in the University of Delhi ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI MUHI RAM SAIKIA) : (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) and (c) A factual report on the allegations made in the news-item has been called for from the University and any further action in the matter would be possible after the same is received.

Crash of AVRO Plane

1402. DR. T. SUBBARAMI REDDY : Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether AVRO-1023 crashed at Prakasham District, Andhra Pradesh on December 26, 1996;

(b) if so, whether the number of farmers, whose houses and crops have been damaged due to the crash, were ignored for providing compensation for the damage; and

(c) if so, the total number of farmers affected and the details of compensation provided to each farmer?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI N.V.N. SOMU) : (a) to (c) On 24th December, 1996, an IAF AVRO HS-748 aircraft flying from Tambaram to Begumpet crashed 7 Nautical Miles West of Pamuru district, Nellore. A Court of Inquiry into the incident has been ordered.

Problems faced by Soldiers

1403. SHRI PARASRAM BHARDWAJ : Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether soldiers deployed in counter-insurgency operations had been facing psychological problems;

(b) if so, whether any study has been conducted in this regard; and

(c) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI N.V.N. SOMU) : (a) The possibility that soldiers deployed in counter-insurgency operations face psychological problems due to long deployment cannot be ruled out. However, this problem has not been significant in the Indian Armed Forces.

(b) No, Sir.

(c) Question does not arise.

Harappan Vedic Links

1404. SHRI SATYAJITSINH DULIPSINH GAEKWAD : SHRIMATI BHAVNA BEN DEVRAJ BHAI CHIKHALIA :

Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government are aware of the news-item appearing in 'Hindustan Times' dated January 1, 1997 under the caption "Harappan Vedic links at Dholavira possible";

(b) if so, since when the excavation work has been going on and the results thereof; and

(c) the details of other protected monuments in Gujarat?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI S.R. BOMMALI) : (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The excavations at Dholavira, District Kutch, Gujarat, have been intermittently going on since 1990. The excavations have revealed a sequence of rise and fall of Harappan culture divisible into seven cultural stages, covering a time-span of over a millennium beginning from the 1st quarter of the 3rd millennium B.C. and coming to an end around 1500 B.C. The excavations have also brought to light the full configuration of Harappan city planning. New evidence of monumental and aesthetic architecture have been gathered. Evidences of congregation ground or stadium having seating arrangement, water harvesting and storage system, information bearing on the funerary structures and practices have also been documented. An inscription consisting ten large-sized Harappan signs is a unique discovery of the site. Besides stamp seals probably depicting mythological scenes, sealings, weights and typical pottery characterising the successive cultural stages have also been unearthed.

(c) A list enclosed as statement.

Statement		
<i>List of Centrally Protected Monuments and Sites in Gujarat</i>		
Sl. No.	Locality	Name of monument/site
1	2	3
Gandhinagar District		
1.	Adalaj	Step-well with inscription
Ahmedabad District		
2.	Ahmedabad	Achyut Bibi's Masjid and tomb
3.	-do-	Ahmed shah's mosque
4.	-do-	Astodia Gate
5.	-do-	Azam Khan's palace
6.	-do-	Ahmedshah's tomb
7.	-do-	Baba Luli's masjid
8.	-do-	Bhadra Tomar
9.	-do-	Bibiji's Masjid at Rajpur
10.	-do-	Brick minars on Railway Station Platform
11.	-do-	Dada Harir's mosque and tomb
12.	-do-	Dada Harir's Well
13.	-do-	Darya khan's Tomb
14.	-do-	Dastur Khan's masjid
15.	-do-	Delhi Gate
16.	-do-	Haibat Khan's masjid
17.	-do-	Inlet to Kankaria tank
18.	-do-	Jama Masjid
19.	-do-	Milk Alam's mosque
20.	-do-	Mata Bhawani's well
21.	-do-	Muhafiz Khan's mosque
22.	-do-	Nawab Sardar Khan's Roza with its compound
23.	-do-	Panchkuwa Gate
24.	-do-	Queen's mosque in Sarangour
25.	-do-	Autub Shah's mosque
26.	-do-	Raipur Gate
27.	-do-	Rani Rupawati's mosque in Mirzapur
28.	-do-	Rani Sipri's mosque and tomb
29.	-do-	Sayyid Usman's mosque and tomb

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30.	Ahmedabad	Shah Alam's tomb with all surrounding buildings in the group
31.	-do-	Shah Khupai masjid
32.	-do-	Shahpur or Kaji Muhammed Chisti's masjid
33.	-do-	Sidi Bashir's minars and tomb
34.	-do-	Sidi Sayyid-masjid
35.	-do-	Teen Darwaza
36.	-do-	Three Gates
37.	-do-	Tomb of Mir Abu Turab
38.	-do-	Tomb near Queen's mosque in Sarangour
39.	-do-	Tomb of the Queens of Ahmedshah
40.	-do-	Dariapur Gate
41.	-do-	Kalupur Gate
42.	-do-	Prembhai Gate
43.	-do-	Sarangpur Gate
44.	Batva	Tombs
45.	Dholka	Jami Masjid
46.	-do-	Khan Masjid
47.	-do-	Khan tank with its sluice
48.	-do-	Malv tank
49.	-do-	Mosque of Balal Khan Ghazi
50.	-do-	Ruined building near the Tank Masjid
51.	Isanpur	Jethabhai's step well
52.	-do-	Small stone mosque
53.	Makarha	Great mosque
54.	-do-	Great tank, palace and harem
55.	-do-	Pavalion before the tomb of Sheikh Ahmed Khata Gajj Hoksh
56.	-do-	Rauzas of Baya Alisar and Bava Ganj Baksh
57.	-do-	Tomb of Bibi Rajbai
58.	-do-	Tomb of Muhammed Begarah
59.	-do-	Tomb of Sheikh Ahmed Khata Ganj Baksh
60.	Mandal	Jami Masjid
61.	Nandal	Kazi Masjid
62.	-do-	Sayyid Masjid
63.	Paldi Kochrah	Small stone mosque

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64.	Ranpur	Masjid of Rajusha Pir
65.	Vasna	Rauza of Azam Khan and Moazzam Khan
66.	Viramgam	Mansur talav and Shrines
Amreli District		
67.	Amreli	Ancient site known as Gohilwad Timbo
68.	Mul Dwarka	Ranchodrai temple and Kusheswar Mahadev temple
69.	Padarsinga	Walls of Kashivisvsnath temple having frescoes on them
70.	Venivdar	Ancient site
Baroda District		
71.	Amarapura	Micro lithic site
72.	Baroda	frescoes on the walls of Tambcksr Wada
73.	-do-	Historic site
74.	Dabhoi	Baroda Bghal (Gate) and the adjoining construction
75.	-do-	Bara Bghal with adjoining construction
76.	-do-	Mahudi (Champaneri) Bhagal (Gate) and the adjoining construction
77.	-do-	Nandodi Gate with the adjoining construction
78.	-do-	Saptmukhi Vav in Dabhi tank
79.	Danteswar	Hajira
80.	Karvan	Ancient site
81.	-do-	Gateway or Tarana
Bhavnagar District		
82.	Sihor	Ancient mound 1½ miles from the Brahma Kund
83.	-do-	Darbargarh
84.	Talaja	Jain temples
85.	-do-	Talaja Cave
86.	Vallabhipur	Ancient mound
Baroch District		
87.	Baroch	Jami Masjid
Jamnagar District.		
88.	Baradia	Ram Lakshman Temple excluding Mahaprabhuji's baithak
89.	Dhinki	Gadhi and Shrine
90.	Dhrasanvej	Magdehru temple

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91.	Dwarka	Kshtrapa inscribed stone in the public library compound
92.	-do-	Rukmani temple
93.	Gop	Gop temple
94.	Lowrali	Gokeshwar Mahadev temple
95.	Navi Dhrewar	Kalika Mata temple
96.	Pindara	Durvasa Rishi's Ashram and its site
97.	Vasai	Junagadhi temple
98.	-do-	Kankeshwar Mahadev temple and other temples
99.	Dwarika	Dwarkadhish group of temples
99A.	Goruj	Ancient site known as sandhyapur
99B.	-do-	Ancient site
Junagadh District		
100.	Intwa	Ancient mound
101.	Junagadh	Ashokan pock
102.	-do-	Caves
103.	Mangrol	Jami Masjid, Rahimat Masjid and Ravelt Masjid
104.	Niyani	Old Parsvanath temple
105.	Porbandar	House where Mahatma Gandhi was born
Kaira District		
106.	Barsad	Step well
107.	Cambay	Jami Masjid
108.	Mehmadabau	Bhamania wall
109.	Sarnal	Temple of Gakteswara
110.	Sojali	Tomb of Mubarak Sayyid
111.	Solaji	Tombs of Saif-ud-bin and Nizam-ud-din
Kutch District		
112.	Bhuj	Tomb of Rao Lakha Chatri
113.	Kotai	Siva temple
Mehsana District		
114.	Anvada and Samalpati	Sahasralinga Talao
115.	Asoda	Jasmainathji Mahadev temple
116.	Dolmal	Limboji Mata temple
117.	Khandosan	Hingloji Mata temple
118.	-do-	-do-
118A.	-do-	Sabha Mandap and two ancient shrine near Hingloji Mata temple

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119.	Modhera	Sun temple; Sun tank, Kund and carved stones with images, temples and under-ground cell
120.	Palodar	Malai Mata temple
121.	Patan	Gate of Khan Sarovar
122.	-do-	Rani Vav
123.	-do-	Sheikh Farid Dargah and Rauza
124.	Piludara	Sitala Mata temple
125.	-do-	Torana of Surya temple.
126.	Ruhavi	N i l a k h a n t h e s w a r Mahadev temple
127.	Sander	Two small shrines near Sanderi Mata temple
128.	Sidhpur	Jama Masjid
129.	-do-	Ruins of Rudra Mahalaya
130.	Sunak	Nilakanteswara Mahadev temple
131.	-do-	Sivai Mata temple
123.	Vadnagar	Ajapal Kund
133.	-do-	Inscription of Arjun Bari Gate
134.	-do-	Torana
135.	Vijapur	Vijapur Kund
Panch Mahal District		
136.	Bavka	old ruined temple of Mahadev
137.	Champaner	Bawa Man's mosque
138.	-do-	Cenotoph of Kevda Masjid
139.	-do-	Cenotph of Nagina Masjid
140.	-do-	Citadel walls
141.	-do-	City gate near Kasbin Talo
142.	-do-	City walls at the S.E. corner of the citadel going up the hill
143.	-do-	East and South Bhadra Gates
144.	-do-	Gate No.1 on Pavagadh hill (with two gateways)
145.	-do-	Gate No.2 (with three gate-ways)
146.	-do-	Gate No.3
147.	-do-	Gate No.4 with big bastion with cells in the interior
148.	-do-	Gate No.5 near Machi
149.	-do-	Gate No.6
150.	-do-	Gate No. 7 near Iron bridge
151.	-do-	Gate No.8 (Tarapur Gate)

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152.	Champaner	Relical stepped well
153.	-do-	Jami Masjid
154.	-do-	Kabutarkhana pavilion on the north bank of wada Talao near Khajuri Masjid
155.	-do-	Kamani Masjid
156.	-do-	Kavada masjid
157.	-do-	Lili- Gumbaz-ki-Masjid
158.	-do-	Makai Kothar
159.	-do-	Mandvi or Custom House
160.	-do-	Mind above gate No.4
161.	-do-	Nagina Masjid
162.	-do-	Navlakha Kothar
163.	-do-	Palace of Patai Rawal with tanks
164.	-do-	Sakar Khan's Dargah
165.	-do-	Sat Manjil between Nos.4 and 5 with steps right upto bastion on top
166.	-do-	Shaher-ki- Masjid
167.	-do-	The fort of pavagadh and the ruined Hindu and Jain temples on the top of Pavagadh hill.
168.	-do-	Step well north of Jami Masjid
169.	-do-	three cells inside the Citadel wall between Shaher (Baraki) Masjid and the local Fund Dharamsala
170.	-do-	Tomb with a big dome in the centre and four small corner domeson way to Khajuri Masjid near wada Talao
171.	-do-	Walls of Fort on top
172.	Desar	Rudra Mala
173.	Dohad	Ancient site (Chhaba Talao) Survey No.1
174.	Halol	Ek-Minar-ki-Masjid
175.	-do-	Panch-Mahuda-ki-Masjid
176.	-do-	Tomb near Panch Mahuda-ki-Masjid
177.	-do-	Tomb of Sikandar Shah
178.	Kakanpur	Temple of Mahadev
179.	Kattanpur	Old temple with sculptured screen
Rajkot District		
180.	Dhank	Dhank Caves

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Sabarkantha District		
181.	Prantij	Tomb of Sikandar Shah
182.	Khed and Roda (Raisinghpur)	Group of temples at Khed and Roda (Raisinghpur)
Surat District		
183.	Kamrej	Ancient site
184.	Surat	Dargah known as Khwaja Dargah Saheb's Roza
185.	Surat	Old Armennian Tombs
186.	-do-	Old English and Dutch tomb
187.	-do-	Tomb of Khwaja Safar Sulemani
188.	Vyara	Fateh Burj
Surendarnagar District		
189.	Anandpur	Ananteshwar temple
190.	Halved	Darhargadh
191.	Rangpur	Sancient mound
192.	Sejakpur	Ancient mound
193.	Sejakpur	Navalkha temple
194.	Than	Sun temple
195.	Wadhwan	Ranak Devi's temple
Kuda District		
196.	Nadiad	Vithalbhai Haveli

[Translation]

Express/Four Lane Roads

1405. SHRI P.C. THOMAS : Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is a scheme to build Express/Four Lane roads through the country;

(b) whether the scheme is limited only to connect metropolitan cities, denying the facility to Southern State like Kerala, Northern State of Jammu & Kashmir and some other States; and

(c) the full details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (SHRI T.G. VENKATRAMAN) : (a) to (c) Though the main priority for development of National Highways during the Ninth Plan is for four laning of major high density corridors linking Delhi, Calcutta, Chennai and Mumbai, and the roads leading to major ports, other sections of National Highways needing four laning will also be considered depending upon the *inter-se* priority of projects and overall availability of funds. However, there is no proposal at present to construct any new expressway.

[English]

Admission Schemes for Professional Colleges

1406. SHRI NARAYAN ATHAWALAY: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether attention of the Government has been drawn to the news-item "Centre drafting & admission schemes for professional colleges" appearing in the 'Business Standard' dated January 30, 1997;

(b) if so, the details of the schemes being worked out; and

(c) the present status of the proposals?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI MUHI RAM SAIKIA) : (a) to (c) The scheme is in question:

(a) envisages that Scheme will apply to professional Unaided Educational Institutions, including to management institutions offering PG Diplomas with the approval of AICTE;

(b) provides that fee be fixed at such a level as to afford operation of the institution on a no-Profit-no-Loss basis;

(c) makes a Limited allowance in fee for recovery of a part of capital cost by Sponsor/ Promotee;

(d) enables the management of the institutions to maintain assests and equipments and to upgrade such facilities from time to time;

(e) seeks to continue the Admission procedure laid down by the Court in Unnikrishnan Scheme;

(f) envisages fee determination to be carried out in a decentralised mode with fee determination Committees having adequate representation of the State Government concerned, the relevant expert bodies and experts in costing etc.

(g) clarifies fee as including elements determining the cost of providing education with many of these elements being identified on a normative basis;

(h) provides two kinds of fee to be levied Tuition Fee and Development Fee. The former to be utilised to meet maintenance/recurring expenditure the latter to meet the cost of replacement/upgradation.

(i) Tuition Fee to be brought to Account in two different accounts, to which the relevant component will be credited and the expenditure on appropriate items will be met; and

(j) Fee once fixed will be valid for three years. For fixing fee for the next three year cycle unspent balance in the maintenance and Development Accounts will be taken into account.